

NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Mark E. Fesmire, P.E. Director Oil Conservation Division

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER DHC-3579

Merrion Oil & Gas 610 Reilly Avenue Farmington, NM 87401

Attention: Connie Dinning

Canada Mesa Well No. 1E API No. 30-039-22118 Unit C, Section 24, Township 24 North, Range 6 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico Basin-Dakota Prorated Gas (71599), and Undesignated Devils Fork-Gallup Associated (17610) Pools

Dear Ms. Dinning:

Reference is made to your recent application for an exception to Rule 303.A. of the Division Rules and Regulations to permit the above-described well to commingle production from the subject pools in the wellbore.

It appearing that the subject well qualifies for approval for such exception pursuant to the provisions of Rule 303.C., and that reservoir damage or waste will not result from such downhole commingling, and correlative rights will not be violated thereby, you are hereby authorized to commingle the production as described above and any Division Order which authorized the dual completion or otherwise required separation of the zones is hereby placed in abeyance.

In accordance with Division 303C.(1)(f), the production attributed to any commingled pool within the well shall not exceed the allowable applicable to that pool.

Assignment of allowable to the well and allocation of production from the well shall be as follows. These percentages shall be amended only with permission of the Division.

Basin-Dakota Prorated Gas Pool	Oil-3%	Gas-29%
Undesignated Devils Fork-Gallup Associated Pool	Oil-97%	Gas-71%

REMARKS: The operator shall notify the Aztec District Office of the Division upon implementation of commingling operations.

Pursuant to Rule 303C(2), the commingling authority granted herein may be rescinded by the Division Director if conservation is not being best served by such commingling.

Approved at Santa Fe, New Mexico on this 25th day of October 2005.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

MARK E. FESMIRE, P.E. Director

cc: Oil Conservation Division – Aztec Bureau of Land Management - Farmington